## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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NEVADA POWER COMPANY d/b/a NV Energy and SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY d/b/a NV Energy,

2:19-cv-01252-JAD-VCF

Plaintiffs,

**ORDER** 

VS.

TRENCH FRANCE, S.A.S. and TRENCH LIMITED,

Defendants.

Before the Court is the Ex Parte Motion for Order to Extend Plaintiffs' Time for Service of Summons and Complaint in a Foreign Jurisdiction. (ECF No. 10).

## **Extension For Service**

Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m) requires a defendant to be served within 90 days after the complaint is filed. If "the plaintiff shows good cause for the failure [to serve a defendant within that time-frame], the court must extend the time for service for an appropriate period." Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m).

Plaintiff asserts that additional time is required to effect service, and asks this court to extend the 4(m) deadline. (ECF No. 10). Defendants businesses are based in France and Canada. *Id.* at 2. The Complaint was filed on July 18, 2019, which makes October 16, 2019, the last day to effectuate service on Defendants Trench France, S.A.S. and Trench Limited. Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m).

Given that Plaintiff has demonstrated "good cause" for its failure to effectuate service and has provided support for its request for an extension, the court will extend the 4(m) deadline, up to and including January 23, 2020. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m).

Accordingly, and for good cause shown, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Ex Parte Motion for Order to Extend Plaintiffs' Time for Service of Summons and Complaint in a Foreign Jurisdiction. (ECF No. 10) is GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the deadline to effect service of process on Defendants, is extended up to and including January 23, 2020. Carlandon Company

DATED this 25th day of October, 2019.

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE